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FOR: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR INTER-NETWORK COMMUNICATIONS

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Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231
Sir:

COMPLETION OF FILING REQUIREMENTS

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application mailed on August 16, 2001, a copy of which is enclosed, we enclose herewith the Declaration and Power of Attorney.

Enclosed is a check for \$970.00 to cover the application filing fee, the Declaration surcharge fee and the non-English language specification fee. Enclosed is an English language translation of the application including a Certificate of Translation. Also enclosed are a Preliminary Amendment (26 pages), a Proposed Drawing Amendment and German Priority Document No. 100 30 525.3 filed June 28, 2000.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Order Account No. 19-0079 for any further extension and/or fee that is required.

Respectfully submitted,

Patrick O'Shea

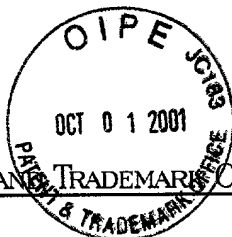
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The application was filed in a language other than English. Applicant is required to provide an English translation of the specification and a statement that the translation is accurate. (See 37 CFR 1.52(d)).
- Applicant must file an English translation of the application, the \$ 130 fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(i), unless previously submitted, and a statement that the translation is accurate (37 CFR 1.52(d)).
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 970.**
- Because your specification was filed in a language other than English, the Office was unable to determine the number of claims submitted. Additional claim fees may be due once the number of claims can be determined.

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the reply.

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